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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action having a mailing date of December 22, 2004,
please amend the above-identified patent application as set forth below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 1-5 without prejudice as indicated in the immediately
below CLAIMS LISTING while retaining allowed Claims 6-34. Applicant presents some
remarks re the canceled claims on page 9.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:
(1) Return Receipt Postcard;
(2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate); and
(3) Response to Office Action (11 pages).

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. <u>Previously Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	Rate	<u>Additional Fee</u>
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